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I BEIRUT (AP)-KING FEISAL OF SAUDI ARABIA ORDERED A 10 PER

CENT CUTBACK IN OIL PRODUCTION EFFECTIVE TODAY, THE SAUDI STATE

RADIO ANNOUNCED.

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BEIRUT ADD FAISAL (81)

A ROYAL PALACE STATEMENT BROADCAST BY RIYADH RADIO ALSO THREATENED A TOTAL HALT OF SAUDI OIL SHIPMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES
"UNLESS THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT MODIFIES IT CURRENT POSITION IN THE MIDDLE EAST WAR."

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RIYADH TO CUT OIL PRODUCTION 10 PERCENT

M181731 FOR YOUR INFORMATION

CAIRO MENA IN ARABIC AT 1730 GMT ON 18 OCTOBER QUOTES
RIYADH RADIO AS SAYING SAUDI ARABIA HAS DECIDED TO REDUCE ITS
OIL PRODUCTION BY 10 PERCENT.

DETAILS AS AVAILABLE.

18 OCT 1844Z WJ/GFE''''